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1. (Currently Amended) A vehicle airbag arrestor mountable about a vehicle steering column carrying a steering wheel containing an inflatable airbag, the airbag arrestor comprising:

an enclosure having an open end and a closed end, the enclosure adapted to be mountable over a vehicle steering wheel and vehicle steering column, with the closed end adjacent a vehicle steering wheel; and

an attachment member; means, mountable about the enclosure, and adapted to for substantially non-axially, movably mount mounting the enclosure over the steering wheel and the steering column of a vehicle, the attachment member means including a strap disposed about the enclosure, and [a] connector means for extensibly receiving a free end of the strap to therethrough for releasably tighten tightening the strap and the enclosure about a vehicle steering column using a single hand.

2. (Cancelled)

3. (Previously presented) The airbag arrestor of claim 1 wherein: the strap is movably mounted on the enclosure.

4. (Previously presented) The airbag arrestor of claim 1 wherein the connector comprises:  
a latch movable to and from a first position engaged with the strap; and  
a biasing member acting on the latch to bias the latch to the first position.

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